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MARKETIN' COTTON
TOPIC OF ADDRESS

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER TO SPEAK FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

AT COURT HOUSE

Will Talk on Subject of Marketing Present Cotton Crop; Posted on Cotton Conditions.

Hon. P. P. Garner, of Jackson, Commissioner of Agriculture for the State of Mississippi, will deliver an address in Columbus Friday afternoon at the court house at 2 o'clock on the subject of "Marketing of the Present Cotton Crop."

Mr. Garner is thoroughly conversant with marketing conditions and he has made a special study of the conditions as they affect cotton this season.

His address will be of special interest to farmers, merchants, bankers and the people generally, and he should be greeted by a large audience Friday.

The most serious problem that confronts the farmer today is the price of cotton, and Mr. Garner will have something very interesting to say in this connection.

Just what plan he will present is not known in advance of his address, but it is sufficient to say that his address will be of value to everyone who hears him.

He will speak at the court house in Columbus Friday afternoon, October 8 at 2 o'clock.

All of the people of the Columbus territory are urged to come in and hear him, and the merchants and business men of Columbus are especially urged and invited to be present.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
IN BIG CAMPAIGN

Every-Member Campaign Conducted by Local Church—Fine Results.

The members of the congregation of the Columbus Christian Church have undertaken a great work for the coming year. Closing on last Sunday night, a three-day re-organization campaign started a movement that will result in good to the city and in the growth and development of the Christian Church. The Rev. J. D. Starnes, of Vicksburg, a field secretary of the Christian Church in the South, came to Columbus to advise and counsel and conduct an every-member campaign. The church membership, represented by eight live and wide-awake teams, made a thorough canvass of the city on Sunday afternoon and succeeded in securing pledges enough to justify the church in making plans for a big year's work. The Rev. Mr. Weimer, of Kentucky, has been called to the pastorate. He has accepted the call and will begin his labors here soon. The new pastor has a record of successful achievement in the Blue Grass State, and his work of the past gives promise of a very successful ministry here. The Rev. Mr. Weimer, with his wife, will soon come to Columbus to make their home. That they will receive a cordial welcome goes without saying. They have two sons, but they are grown, married and settled in Kentucky, consequently will miss the pleasure of dwelling in Columbus.

The Columbus Christian Church will begin its year's work under the new pastor in a business-like manner and on a sound financial basis. The budget system will be used, and the officers of the organization will know in advance where the money is coming from to pay all the expenses of the church. It is a wonderful work, the bringing of souls into the Master's kingdom, and all good men and women will wish the Columbus Christian Church, under the leadership of its new minister, every measure of success.

Tomorrow will be a busy day with Mr. C. M. Reeves, justice of the peace. Twelve civil cases will come up for trial before Mr. Reeves on Thursday. Mr. Reeves has a way of handling cases in his court sensibly, promptly and equitably. He has the judicial mind and a keen sense of equity.

"VIEWS AND INTERVIEWS"
AND
"NEWS 14 YEARS AGO"

Under the above headings The Dispatch Sunday will inaugurate two brand new news features.

A little retrospection into the yesterday as we forge ahead in present day progress will not be amiss, and the items of news in Columbus fourteen years ago taken from the files of the Dispatch, will be read with interest by the paper's large family of readers.

"Views and Interviews" will be

short, crisp interviews and expressions from citizens of Columbus on present day topics and Columbus in general. Watch for these new features. They will be full of human interest and you will find them most interesting.

The Dispatch is leaving nothing undone to give its readers the best to be had in the way of news. After all this is the final test of the value of a newspaper; it determines its value also as an advertising medium.

MANY LEAVE FOR
HOUSTON REUNION

Special Train Attached to Regular Train Monday Morning. Twenty-five Go.

A large party of Columbians, most of whom were Civil War Veterans, left Monday morning over the Mobile and Ohio for Houston, Texas, to attend the annual re-union of Veterans and Sons of Veterans.

Special arrangements were provided for the Columbus party. A special car was attached to the regular M. & O. train and this car was occupied on the entire trip to Houston without change.

Mr. F. A. Gunter, commander of the Columbus Camp of Veterans, has worked indefatigably for the success of the trip, though himself unable to attend the reunion. He was at the train Monday morning making final arrangements for the trip.

Commander B. A. Lincoln of the Tennessee Department, Sons of Confederate Veterans and Gov. James T. Harrison, left Sunday afternoon for the reunion city.

Following is a list of those who left Monday morning:

C. M. McIntosh, Jeff Duncan, A. J. Fuqua, John Wells, P. M. Halbert, W. W. Egger, J. G. Wood, J. T. Spann, John Barksdale, W. F. Barksdale, M. C. Wise, J. L. Bell, Steens, C. W. Reynolds, Dr. F. M. Vaughan, L. A. Vaughan, E. T. Sykes, Sam Wilder, J. W. Garner and wife, Miss Ida Fleming, Oscar Ferguson, S. S. Mason, R. E. L. Wharton.

The following from McShan were in the Columbus party also: J. T. McShan, John Cole, J. L. Lancaster, R. Thaxton, W. A. Majors.

Goldsby Is Located
At Canadian Capital

Will Be Brought Back to the Penitentiary Within a Few Days.

Unless plans go awry, or legal obstacles develop, R. T. Goldsby, the notorious Vicksburg criminal, will be again in the Mississippi penitentiary within the next week.

Goldsby is in custody at Toronto, and Sergeant Lige Pridgen, of the penitentiary, is now en route to that place, bearing extradition papers on the Canadian authorities seeking his return to this state.

The manner in which Goldsby was located at Toronto has not been made public, but it is stated that he foolishly exchanged letters with a negro at Vicksburg, after he had succeeded in getting out of the United States, and the Vicksburg authorities, learning of the matter, had very little trouble in locating him.

The Governor, three weeks after the escape of Goldsby, offered a \$500 reward for his capture and return to the penitentiary.

News of Goldsby's capture has been sent to the authorities at Indianapolis, and it is probable that the trial of Hector York, charged with accepting a bribe to aid in his escape, may be deferred until the noted criminal is returned to the state.

Z. D. DAVIS IS DEAD
AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Jackson, Miss., Oct. 4.—Mr. Z. D. Davis, president of the Capital National Bank, died here about 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Baptist Hospital, where he had been confined as the result of an operation. The immediate cause of death was pneumonia, said to have been contracted from exposure during the fire last week when the patients were temporarily removed from the building. Mr. Davis had been connected with the bank for the past 35 years.

CENSUS OF MISS.
SHOWS BIG LOSS

State Loses 7,932 People In Ten-Year Period—Negro Exodus Is Cause of Decline.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Mississippi is the second state to show a decrease in population in the 1920 census. Its population of 1,789,182, announced today by the census bureau, is 7,932, or 0.4 per cent, less than that of 10 years ago.

The 1920 population of Oklahoma, Wisconsin and South Dakota also were announced today and each state showed a substantial increase.

Vermont was the first state to show a decrease, its 1920 population being 1 per cent less than that of 10 years ago.

Oklahoma had the greatest increase, its population of 2,027,564 being 370,400, or 22.4 per cent greater than that in 1910. This, however, was the smallest numerical and relative increase shown by Oklahoma since its organization as a territory in 1890.

Wisconsin's population is 2,631,839, an increase of 297,979, or 12.8 per cent, as compared with that of 1910. The state retains its present rank as the 13th most populous state. Its relative increase for the last 10 years was the same as that during the previous decade.

South Dakota, with a population of 635,839, an increase of 51,951, or 8.9 per cent, falls into 37th place, having been passed by North Dakota. The state showed both its lowest numerical and relative increases since its admission as a state in 1889.

Oklahoma passed Mississippi in the standing of the states, the latter dropping several places as a result of the decrease in its population.

COX APPEALS TO
WOMEN VOTERS

Dayton, Ohio, Oct. 4.—The women of America will vote to keep our pledges to the 81,000 heroes whose blood has crimsoned the poppies in Flanders, Governor James M. Cox told an audience of democratic women here today.

"They will vote for the limitation of armaments, the arbitration of disputes, the publication of secret treaties, the amelioration of distress and the elevation of labor conditions to higher standards," the governor said. "In a word," he continued, "they will vote for the league which will convert Christian idealism into the statutes of sound statesmanship and bring to the sons of men a peace that shall cover the earth as the waters cover the sea."

Though Governor Cox came home with the avowed purpose of taking a few days' rest before he renews his campaign in the east and middle west he upset his schedule today by addressing a large audience of women here on the part women played in the war and the part she is to play in the politics of the future.

COTTON MARKET

Following is the weekly statement of the movement of cotton in the Columbus market as issued by the Columbus Cotton Exchange:

Receipts last report	104
Corresponding date	484
Receipts this week	79
Corresponding date	635
Shipments this week	74
Corresponding date	522
Stock on hand	687
Corresponding date	2166

KNOW YOUR OWN CITY,
DO YOU KNOW THAT?
By V. B. Imes.

New York has 618 miles of subway.

YOU TELL 'EM SELF-STARTER, you're no crank.

Send in your money to the Dispatch's Democratic campaign fund.

Today is the 280th day of the year. The sun rises at 5:59 and sets at 5:37.

Winona lost over 200 in population the past ten years, according to census reports.

The Columbus High School ranks with the fourteen A-1 schools in Mississippi.

Two blocks on Main street will have parks in the center with growing flowers.

It's almost time to clean-up the streets in the paved area of the business section.

The cost for collecting the Internal Revenue tax is approximately 55 cents for every \$100.

"Are you a member of the Chamber of Commerce?" Ask everybody. Put 'em on record.

Have you voted in the Chamber of Commerce election? The polls close tonight at 6 o'clock.

A community sing will be held next Sunday afternoon at the Barrow Memorial School 3 o'clock.

Columbus' official population is 10,514. Second largest city in Mississippi north of the A. and V. railroad.

Friday Commissioner Garner will deliver an address at the court house at 2 o'clock on "Marketing the Cotton Crop."

Mississippi lost 7,932 in population during the ten-year period due to the exodus of negroes. The state's population is 1,789,182.

Yes, we get up every morning to check in the sun and get the hour it rises. All who believe this recite the League of Nations' covenant.

A reader asks if everything in this column is original. No, gentle reader. And you will find that very little of anything in this world is strictly original.

A man thinks it is up to him to try to run the government, the local ball club and the local newspaper. But he would be awfully mad if you tried to tell him how to run his business.

REV. J. C. ROWAN
EXPECTED THURS.

Rev. J. C. Rowan, the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in this city, is expected to arrive in Columbus Thursday from Greenville, S. C.

Rev. Rowan will preach his initial sermon as pastor of the church in this city Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and the people of Columbus are extended a most cordial invitation to hear him.

Rev. Rowan will be warmly welcomed to this city by not only the people of his own denomination but by the Christian people of the city generally.

WORLD'S SERIES
BY INNINGS AT
THE DISPATCH

The Dispatch through its telegraphic service will bulletin the World's Series by innings on the front of its building on Main street.

This service is free to the people of Columbus, and is in line with The Dispatch's policy of giving the best service possible to its readers and the general public.

If you are unable to come up town telephone this office and the results of the games will be cheerfully given.

CAMPAIGN FUND COMMITTEE
IS APPOINTED FOR COLUMBUS

The drive for funds for the Democratic campaign is taking form rapidly.

During the past two weeks The Dispatch threw its columns open for funds and the response has been fair. The people have not rallied to the cause as they should.

If Democracy is to triumph in the November election there must be a more liberal response on the part of the people so that the campaign may be properly and adequately financed.

Other communities have come up with their full share, but Columbus and Lowndes county have not yet made the rise. Only a few more days remain.

Sunday the appointment of the

following local committee was announced from National Headquarters in New York: Messrs. B. A. Lincoln, Ira L. Gaston, G. Y. Banks, Ed Kuykendall, V. B. Imes, George Senter, R. E. Johnston, Thomas J. Locke, Parker Reeves, I. I. Kaufman, S. B. Street, Jr., Wallace Stevens, C. L. Garnett and F. C. Owen.

Any member of this committee is authorized to receive contributions to the fund.

If you are a Democrat what have you done to help the cause? Previously acknowledged: \$185.00

Cash	1.00
R. K. Anderson and wife	2.00
Cash	2.00
	\$190.00

C. OF C. POLLS
CLOSE TONIGHT

Members Are Voting For Nominees For Directors of Chamber of Commerce.

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock, the count in the primary nomination for the election of Directors for the newly organized Columbus & Lowndes County Chamber of Commerce will take place under the direction of the Committee on election, composed of Messrs. G. Y. Banks, J. I. Harrison, T. Bailey Hardy, W. G. Evans, and H. L. Whitfield. Various team workers have been called to aid and assist the committee in the count. The public is cordially invited to be present.

Attention is brought to the fact that through the necessary haste in compiling the membership roster, certain names were placed in the subscriber list only. These names should also have been placed in the major part of the roster. W. V. Grace, S. B. Street, Jr., T. W. Townsend, and J. S. Hasty. In case any one desires to change his vote, a new ballot can, and will be issued to him and the old ballot destroyed. After the election count the names of the highest twenty from the City of Columbus and the highest four from each of the rural districts, will be placed on the final ballot, which will immediately be mailed to the membership with instructions a second time to vote for fourteen.

This time selecting two out of the four from each of the country districts and ten from out of the twenty from the city of Columbus. On Thursday night at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms, a final Group Meeting will be called for all the members who were unable to attend the previous meetings. All are urged to be present and participate in the discussions of the needs of Columbus, Lowndes county and vicinity.

MELODY AND JAZZ
AT CABARET SHOW

Barnard Romans Chapter D. A. R. Will Put on Cabaret Show at Choctaw Club Rooms.

Melody and jazz, and all the other things that go to make-up a real Broadway show will be featured at the "Cabaret Show" which the Barnard Romans Chapter, D. A. R., will stage at the Choctaw Club on the night of October 16.

The entertainment is being given for the benefit of the Chapter's scholarship fund. The chapter is fostering and financing a scholarship at the M. S. C. W. and funds derived from the entertainment will be used to pay the expense of the scholarship. Detailed announcement of the entertainment will be given later. In the meantime a real show is being organized and those who attend the "Cabaret" will be much pleased and delighted.

PARENT-TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

The first regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher's Association of Granklin School will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:15. All members are urged to be present.

CLEVELAND WINS
FIRST OF SERIES

Indians Triumph In Initial Tilt In World Classic—Score Was 3 to 1.

Cleveland won the initial tilt in the mighty struggle for the baseball supremacy of the world.

Yesterday the Indians from the Ohio metropolis triumphed over Brooklyn, and the score was 3 to 1.

The result of the game by innings was received and bulletined at The Dispatch office by the paper's telegraphic service. The score by innings will be bulletined on the front window of The Dispatch office during the remainder of the series.

The Indians apparently were easy victors. They scored two tallies in the second inning and sent another runner across in the fourth.

Brooklyn was whitewashed up to the seventh, when the lone run of the game on her side was made.

Coveleski went the entire route for Cleveland and held his opponents to five safeties.

Brooklyn worked three pitchers, Marquard, Manux, Cadore, the latter having been sent to the mound in the ninth.

Score:	R. H. E.
Brooklyn000 000 100—1 5 1
Cleveland020 100 000—3 5 0

REVIVAL STARTS
HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Baptists Will Launch Big Revival Movement Next Sunday—Rev. Martin to Preach.

Rev. R. S. Gavin, D. D., pastor of the Columbus Baptist Church, is to be congratulated upon having secured as his assistant in the series of revival services to begin next Sunday, Rev. Harry Leland Martin, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Indianapolis. Doctor Martin is one of the ablest and most earnest gospel preachers in the South.

"Some years ago," remarked a gentleman in The Dispatch office, yesterday, "I heard Doctor Martin in a series of revival services at Sumner, Miss. He is one of the most forceful and convincing speakers I have ever heard. He has a wonderful command of language, and a personality that is very magnetic. He is intensely in earnest, realizing as he does the inestimable value of the human soul and the dreadful consequences of spending a life outside the fold. In the meeting referred to, many were brought to repentance, and I confidently look forward to a great meeting in Columbus."

The series of services will begin next Sunday at the First Baptist Church. The people of the city and surrounding country have a cordial invitation from Doctor Gavin and his congregation to attend any or all the services.

Harkey Admits He
Wrecked Tupelo Bank

Pleads Guilty and Is Sentenced to Five Years in Pen.

Aberdeen, Miss., Oct. 4.—David A. Harkey, ex-cashier of the First National Bank of Tupelo, Miss., pleaded guilty before United States Judge Edwin Holmes this morning of embezzling the funds of the bank. He was sentenced to the federal prison in Atlanta for five years and fined \$5,000. The First National Bank of Tupelo, Miss., closed its doors Sept. 19, 1919, after National Bank Examiner Frank Ramson of Memphis had discovered Harkey's shortage and that the institution was wrecked. The depositors were paid in full. Harkey was placed in the Monroe county jail and will be carried to Atlanta at once.

Judge Edwin Holmes delivered a strong charge to the grand jury early today when court convened. Dug Sarter pleaded guilty to moonshining and was given 30 days in the Monroe county jail and fined \$100. The criminal docket is very heavy, and it will possibly take all of this week to dispose of the docket. Prominent attorneys from all sections are in attendance.